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Inspection Report Minerals Regulatory Program

Date:

May 5, 2010

Reviewed: 

Mine Name: Dragon Mine	Permit Number: M/023/0080
Operator Name: Applied Minerals	Inspection Date: 04/27/2010
Inspector(s): Wayne Western	Time: 4:20 – 5:00 pm
Other Participants: Jim Enyeart	Mine Status: ACT

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Re-vegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Purpose of Inspection:

Routine inspection.

Directions to Site:

Head southwest from Eureka towards Delta and turn east on the first south of the intersection of Route 36 and 6.

Inspection Summary:

The Operator is in the process of expanding the permit boundaries. The Operator was doing some exploration with a track hoe and a drill rig. The active exploration was done near the old head frame. The head frame control panels had been vandalized and stripped of copper years ago.

The current bond on the site is \$31,500.00

Conclusions and Recommendations:

The Division should continue to monitor the site.

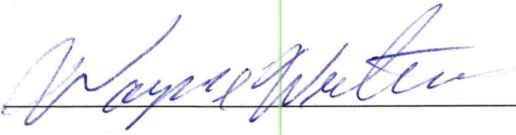
Inspector's Signature

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Track hoe used for exploration



Exploration pit near old head frame